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Change of Navy's Tahoe Base Plans Seen As Unlikely

Nevada Interests Active To Secure Station For Pyramid Lake

Reports that a survey is being made of Pyramid Lake in Nevada by naval officials and Nevada representatives are disconcerting to local interests and, while the program is still more or less up in the air, there is nothing that would verify any statement that a change is contemplated from the original site selected at Lake Tahoe.

The Twelfth Naval District at San Francisco in a letter to the Sierra Sun, says in part: "Inasmuch as this program is under the direct jurisdiction of the Bureau of Navigation, Navy Department, Washington, D. C., we have had little official contact as yet. It is our understanding that construction will start about May 15 with a private contractor."

A recent telegram from Congressman Harry L. Englebright reported the site at Lake Tahoe assured but with persistent rumors from Nevada continuing, the Truckee Chamber of Commerce wired Englebright to ask his continued cooperation. A reply received yesterday had the following to say without a definite assurance:

"You may rest assured I will use every effort to have naval station retained at Lake Tahoe as I believe establishment of station at Lake Tahoe is in best public interest."

That Nevada is attempting every possible way to have the site changed cannot be denied. Senator P. A. McCarran and others are working hard to have the navy take over the Indian reservation property at Pyramid and claims, although unjustly, that training could not be accomplished at Tahoe the year 'round. There is no justification for a change from Tahoe that is apparent but the forces working against that location are powerful and we can only wait and see what the results will be.

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Snider Speaks at Meeting Of Truckee-Tahoe Rotary

"The Use of Aircraft in Forestry" was the topic of District Ranger H.I. Snider in a talk before the Truckee-Tahoe Rotary Club on Monday night Past President V. E. Pearson presided and G. E. Hofmann was program chairman.

W. A. Carlson, past president of the Nevada City club, was a visiting Rotarian at the session.

Vice-President Theodore Schleuter of Tahoe and Secretary L. A. Greene of Truckee were among those attending the Rotary International bi-district convention in Oakland last weekend.

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Wyethia Club to Elect Officers Next Week

The annual election of officers will be the main order of business at next Thursday's session of the Wyethia Women's Club which will convene at 2 p.m. May 7. Mrs. A. P. Leitch, co-president, announces that this will be the last day meeting of the season and there is only one more evening meeting before the summer recess.

Mrs. J. B. Morehead, northern district president of the California Federation of Women's Clubs, was the guest speaker at the last club meeting on April 16. She spoke on "Women in the War." Mrs. W. H. Laity Mrs. N. F. Dolley and Mrs. Y. N Nobles were tea hostesses.

Mrs. Morehead was the house guest of Mrs. James Garibaldi, co-president of the club.

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Dolley Declines to Seek Seat on School's Board

N. F. Dolley this week emphatically denied that he would be a candidate for the position which he now holds as a member and president of the Truckee Grammar School board of trustees. Dolley explained that he has served one term as president of the board and feels that someone else should have a turn at the job. During his incumbency, he has served faithfully and much has been accomplished under his administration. There are no announced candidates for the position which will be voted upon May 15.

Mrs. Lotta Bryant will be a candidate for reelection on the high school board and Adolf S. Schmidt of Floriston has not announced whether he will be a candidate or not, although his term expires.

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ARE YOU A SUNSCRIBER?

Sun Beams

by WALTER M. BARRETT

After numerous discussions pro and con, it has finally been decided that fishing will be permitted in Boca Reservoir this season from a quarter of a mile above the dam. This decision was brought about through the concerted efforts of local sportsmen, but largely reflects the untiring work of Game Warden Bill LaMarr, who has devoted much of his own time in interviewing and corresponding with various officials to have the reservoir opened to fishermen. He has proven himself a good friend to the sportsmen and has earned the right of full cooperation from the sportsmen. During the season which opens in the morning, it may well be expected that fishermen in this district will cooperate with the game warden and bear in mind at all times that he is not required to work for the interests of the district and sportsmen as he has in aiding in securing Boca fishing.

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Published reports in Reno which would indicate that the government is considering a change of plans in connection with the establishments of a Naval Base in this district from Lake Tahoe to Pyramid Lake are causing a lot of talk and rumors are started and fail to die before more are set forth. None have foundation to date. We sincerely believe from reliable information, that Tahoe has definitely been decided upon, but we are not in a position, and we believe no one is, to state this as an absolute fact. We can hardly visualize the government, or anyone else for that matter, preferring Pyramid to Tahoe for any purpose whatever, and we are of the opinion that the published reports are more or less baloons designed to promote personal interests.

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HIGHWAY PATROL IS REVAMPED IN AREA UNDER NEW SET-UP

Reorganization of the California State Highway Patrol in the new Truckee-Tahoe district is nearing completion with the arrival of the new officers and the departure of the Nevada County patrolmen.

Sergeant B. W. Reynolds, who will be in charge of the local squad under Capt. Charles LaPorte of Placer County, has arrived and is temporarily quartered with his wife and two daughters in one of the Gateway Motel cottages. Reynolds has had 15 years service with the patrol and in recent months has been stationed at the south end of Lake Tahoe in the El Dorado squad.

Under Sergeant Reynolds on the Truckee-Tahoe squad will be Patrolmen John Steuber, recently of Los Angeles county, John Stinton, Melford Peterson, William Lowe, all recruit patrolmen, and Grover Todd of Tulare. The latter will be stationed at Lake Tahoe.

Sergeant Reynolds said that plans are being made to install a clerk at the office here to handle drivers' licenses, transfers, etc. The clerk may arrive by the end of the week. It is also expected that addiitonal patrolmen may be added later.

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Truckee Round Housers All Are Bond Buyers

L. E. Longergan, chairman of the bond drive for the Sacramento Division of Southern Pecific Master Mechanics, and "Sparky" Heilborn of Roseville, bond drive chairman there, were in Truckee last week and signed the local round-house crew up 100 per cent in the voluntary payroll deduction plan.

The 16 local employes were lined up and their pictures taken for the company's bulletin.

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154 in Draft Sign-Up

One hundred and fifty-four men between the ages of 45 and 65 registered at the fourth selective service registration here Saturday, Sunday and Monday. The men in this draft are not intended for military service but will be issued occupational questionnaires.

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Local Guest—

Otto Schmide, representative for Acme Breweries, was an overnight guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Engelhart, Sr. Englehart reports that a full carload of Acme beer is slated to arrive soon for the opening of the summer season here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith in Oroville recently.

Fugitive Youth Is Shot By Officer In Resisting Arrest

Preston Parollee Is Sought By Police of Three Communities

The "impressive" criminal record of John Gilbert Sanchez, 19, of Monterey was abruptly interrupted last Thursday when he violently resisted arrest at the hands of Highway Patrolman Melford Peterson of Truckee and was shot while attempting to run away. He is recuperating in the Nevada county hospital and awaiting disposition by the authorities.

Sanchez is wanted by the police of Eureka, Ventura and Pacific Grove and will be removed to one those cities when sufficiently ecovered, officers declared.

The youthful criminal was stopped and given a citation for speeding by the local patrolman Thursday afternoon at Yuba Gap. At the time Peterson noticed Sanchez' apparent nervousness and, upon checking, discovered the car had been allegedly stolen from Eureka. The officer then set out in pursuit but Sanchez failed to heed the siren and finally Peterson forced the car from the road. Sanchez came out of his car fighting and grappled with the officer, attempting to take his gun. Peterson knocked him down and Sanchez then got up and started to run down a canyon, hoping to escape. The patrol man fired one shot over his head but the warning was ignored so a second shot pierced the fugitive's left side below the heart.

In spite of the serious wound, Sanchez continued his flight. He was found about an hour later in the brush by Patrolman Earl Crane, who with other officers, was summoned to aid in the man-hunt. The wounded youth had torn off his shirt to bandage his injury. The bullet was diverted by two ribs and lodged in his back. The fugitive lost considerable blood before being captured a mile from the scene of the shooting.

A Preston School of Industry parollee. Sanchez is wanted in Pacific Grove on burglary charges, and in Ventura and Eureka on grand theft counts. It is considered unlikely that he will be prosecuted in this county for resisting arrest in view of the prior charges taking precedence.

Coca-Cola Squad Wins Tourney At Bowl Alley

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The Coca-Cola bowling team this week narrowly defeated the Truckee Volunteer Fire Department team to win the 15-week tournament at the H&W Bowling alley here. The average of both teams was 513. The Coke squad totalled 23,100 pins against 23,093 for the smoke eaters. The winning team consisted of W. M. Englehart, Jr., Bob Bowers, Chet Zunino and Dal Brown and the runners-up were Roy Waters, Bob Seibold, Gino Giovannoni and Chet Matson.

The women's division title was won by the Wyethia Club team of Louise Wilkie, Eva Besio, Florence Matson and Agnes Mahne with an average of 440.

There were seven teams in the men's division and four in the women's for the tournament.

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TRUCKEE MOTHER IS AWARDED EMBLEM OF HONOR BY GROUP

Mrs. George Waters of Truckee has been awarded a Four-Star Emblem of Honor Pin in recognition of the service of her four sons with the armed forces of the United States. They are Pvt. Erving Waters, Pvt. Edwin Waters, Pvt. Orlan Waters and Seaman William Waters.

The award was made by the Emblem of Honor Association whose secretary, Martin Stern, said in a letter to the Sierra Sun: "We believe that any woman who contributes so handsomely to the defense of her Country is deserving of an award of this kind and recognition, not only by her own Community, but by the Nation, as a whole."

Arrangements have been made for the presentation of the pin to Mrs Waters.

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Second Diphtheria Shots To Be Given on Tuesday

The second diphtheria toxoid will be administered to the 68 who took the original shots recently at the grammar school Tuesday, May 5, at 11 a.m., Miss Laura Loucks, county school nurse, announced.

Miss Loucks also announced that the final home nursing classes will be conducted May 4 and 5.

COUNTY POLITICS

Candidate for Sheriff

With August 25 not too far distant, the political pot is rapidly passing the simmering stage with the latest announcement being made by Richard (Dick) Hoskins of Grass Valley that he is a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Nevada County.

The announcement of Hoskins as an entry in the political field marks entry of a Nevada County native son long known in this county's business and athletic circles. The candidate is a native of Nevada City and has, with exception of an occasional vacation trip, spent practically every day of his life in this county, particularly in Grass Valley, where he gained education and graduated from the public schools.

DICK HOSKINS

After a few years engaged in mining in western Nevada County, and a period spent in southern California where he was engaged in the management of convict labor, employed by the state, Dick Hoskins became affiliated with the Diamond Match Company. From the humble beginnings of an industrious young man anxious to learn every step of

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Seeks Assessor's Post

Phil Scadden, for 40 years a civic leader in Nevada County, today announced his candidacy for the office of county assessor. Probably no one in the county is quite so well qualified for the position as he, since for the past five years he has been deputy assessor under Assessor John M Hammill.

Curiously enough, and contrary to the usual result, Hammill and Scadden became friends shortly after they had been rival candidates for the assessor's office eight years ago. The campaigns both conducted were free from all bitterness, mutual accusations and recrimination. Scadden was beaten and recognizing the sterling character of his opponent. Hammill shortly afterward invited him to become his deputy.

Assessor Hammill, having decided that he will not be a candidate for reelection, is doing whatever he can in friendship to further the candidacy of Phil Scadden.

In seeking the office, Scadden declares that if elected he will give to his duties his best abilities. What those abilities are hundreds of people in Nevada County can attest. For he has been Nevada City fire chief and was for some years a member of the city council. He has held office in the Nevada City Elks' lodge since its founding. He has been grand exalted ruler and district deputy for northern California.

As a young man he began his business career as the owner of a bakery

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Fishing Season To Open Tomorrow With Fair To Good Prospects In View

Irrigation District Makes Concessions Pending Ruling On Dam Controversy by Justice Department Regarding Reservoir Closing

With the annual trout fishing season due to begin an hour before sunrise tomorrow, all is serene on the local angling front. The explosive Boca Reservoir question has been temporarily settled satisfactorily to all concerned after a fortnight of discussions between the California authorites and local fishermen on one side and the Nevada Truckee-Carson Irrigation District and the Nevada Statee Police.

Game Warden Bill LaMarr conferred with officials in Reno this week and won a concession which permits fishermen the use of the reservoir between daylight and dark, providing they stay at least a quarter of a mile from the dam. Local sportsmen and LaMarr will post the district this week to prevent misunderstanding.

The irrigation officials indicated they would tolerate fishing until they have received a requested ruling from the Department of Justice. What action will be taken then depends upon the ruling.

In an opinion delivered by Deputy Attorney General Ward Sullivan of California at the request of the state fish and game commission, it was held that the owner of a dam must afford the public free access to the impounded waters for the purpose of fishing during the open season. The commission is empowered to adopt rules and regulations governing all fishing rights in such waters during the open season.

Sheriff Carl Tobiassen of Nevada City was in Truckee Tuesday to investigate rumors that special privileges would be issued by the Nevada group. While the charges were found to be without foundation, Tobiassen said that no deputy of his would enforce a limited closing. Nevada county deputy sheriffs are at present guarding the dam.

Trout fishermen are reminded that it will be impossible to use some of the fishing holes in this area due to public-use restrictions by the War and Agriculture Departments. As a rule, fishermen should bear in mind that most railroad rights-of-way and structures and the vicinity of all public utilities are closed to entry or use. Closed areas for public utilities are distances ranging from 200 feet to one mile around power houses, power dams, penstocks, forebays, tunnels, canals, ditches, flumes and all other hydroelectric power installations. Roads and trails in such areas are posted and in many cases are patrolled by armed guards. When in doubt, anglers should contact the nearest forest officer for information.

In the Truckee-Tahoe-Donner area, the smaller streams promise excellent fishing with bait while the larger streams will be high and muddy but fair fishing is expected. If indications on the Nevada side of Lake Tahoe, open since April 15, are borne out, fishing there should be better than last year's opening. Back country streams will be largely inaccessible due to spring snows and back country lakes at high elevations will be frozen over until the middle of May or the first of June.

No licenses will be issued to enemy aliens. Otherwise, all persons over 18 years of age must secure a license to legally fish the sylvan streams in quest of the wily, game trout.

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STATE OFFICIAL TO SPEAK TONIGHT AT SCHOOLS' PROGRAM

The annual Public Schools Week program, under the auspices of Truckee Lodge No. 200, F. & A. M., is scheduled for tonight at 8 p.m. in the Grammar School auditorium. Walter E. Morgan, assistant state superintendent of public instruction, will be the main speaker. His topic will be "The Effect of the War Upon the Public Schools."

G. E. Hofmann, secretary of the local Masonic lodge and principal of Meadow Lake Union High School, is chairman of the observance. The program will contain a variety of items from a tumbling exhibition by 13 grammar school boys to a one-act comedy by students of the freshman and sophomore classes of the high school.

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Four Birthdays Feted Here In Past Week

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Marts entertained at the Wyethia Club on Saturday evening honoring the birthdays of their son, Bill, and their daughter, Phyllis.

Games, dancing and the opening of their presents were enjoyed before the serving of refreshmnts.

The guest list included Mrs. Robert Bottel and Mrs. R. T. Henderson, the Misses Yvonne and Azad Joseph, Lovey Hayden of Sacramento, Elizabeth Gates, Dolly Henderson, Dorothy Barrett, Clarabell Lewis, Hilda Black of Reno, Verna Pearson and Leta Tennis, and Jerry Moore, David Craft, George Kamp, Floyd Silverton, Jim Lucas, Raymond Saibini, Bill Preston, Charles Richards, Bob Barr, Jimmy Leamon and Herbert Collins.

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Pern-Ann Kielhofer was four years old on Monday and shared her celebration with a number of little friends. Mrs. Anton Filipcic and Mrs. Karl Kielhofer chose the refreshment table appointments in the pastel shades, indicative of spring. The small guest of honor received many gifts during the afternoon.

Those invited were Linda Loynd Mary Ann Tonini, Judith Loynd, Darlene Johnson, Sue Robinson, Linda Gaylord, Sharon Pace, Bobby Tonini, George Pace, Joe Miller, Stan Martin, Donald Orsi, Lester Lazzari and Tony Moke Kielhofer.

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George Edward Pace had a party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Pace, at the home of his parents Tuesday when he became three years old.

Invited guests were Sharon Pace, Doris and Bill Zoebel, Pern-Ann Kielhofer, Judy and Dick Loynd, Lowell Barton, Aaron Thomas, Joe Miller, Jo-Ann Wilson, Martin Oroz and the honoree.

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Lions Club Hears Talk On Selling at Session

Several of the finer points of salesmanship, particularly as they apply to selling intangibles, were explained to members of the Truckee Lions Club at last night's meeting by Jess Lovejoy of Roseville Occidental Life Insurance representative, who was a guest of C. B. White. Other guests included Howard Glasser, relief manager at the Bank of America, and Nat Quilici of Fontana's Laundry. N. F. Dolley presided.

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TRY ADVERTISING

On Draft List for May

The names of those who will leave in the next draft call from Nevada county were announced Monday by the Nevada county Selective Service board. They include George Henry Clark and Frederick Wayne Hughes of Truckee and John Francis Malcolm of Boca.

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Here from Valley—

Stanley Powell and Frank Carson were here from Modesto this week.

EDITORIAL

THE STIFFO STORM TROOPS

Men who can fight booze should go out to fight Japs.

That is the stand of the draft board of Roxbury, Mass. on draft-deferred "chronic alcoholics." The board wrote to Selective Service Director Lewis B. Hershey recently:

"If you cannot see where there is a place for them in the Army today—why not create a regiment or division of their own? We do not condone drunkeness. Yet while we do not believe alcohol a part of the diet of a fighter, still history is replete with fighting men who drank."

History—the history of Monday morning police court sessions for the week-end party boys — also is replete with drinking men who fought at the drop of a hat. What if the town drunks of ten thousand burgs were enlisted together as the Elbow-Bending Engineers or Rum Pot Rifles or Stiffo Storm Troops and sent against our foe? Properly fortified, they might make military history. The grog some of them drink would make a rabbit snap at a wolf. The man who has survived the monsters and terrors of the D. T.'s might take the severe ordeal of battle in stride. Such a brigade might wobble through to victory under inspiration of the prospect of placing all Tokio saloons under martial law.

That Roxbury board may have something there!

MOTHER'S DAY

In the 28 years since its inception in 1914, Mother's Day has grown to be one of the most pleasant among national holidays of the holiday-loving American people It has taken on the happy significance of a time for family reunions, for surprise visits to mothers from far places, for the delights of letters and telegrams and candy and flowers and sentimental mothers who love such attentions from sons and daughters.

But Mother's Day on May 10th of this year will intensify thrugh poignant memories the heartaches of many American mothers whose sons are missing somewhere in Bataan. And it will be a sorry day of separation and apprehension for millions of mothers whose sons are on other fronts, on ships, flying planes, or in training at the great home bases and camps.

Always the flag is displayed on Mother's Day. But this year is is eminently proper that every flag in this broad land be flown in tribute to the mothers of sons who are fighting and dying to keep that flag flying high and free. To a mother who had lost her sons in the Civil War, Abraham Lincoln wrote: "I cannot refrain from tendering you the consolation that may be found in the thanks of the Republic they died to save. I pray that our Heavenly Father may assuage the anguish of your bereavment, and leave you only the cherished memory of the loved and lost, and the solemn pride that must be yours to have laid so costly a sacrifice upon the altar of freedom." Through the display of the national emblem. America may bespeak like gratitude to the mothers of this day whose sons must die for freedom and to the mothers whose sons will be spared to return home.

San Francisco is considering employment of women as Municipal Railway streetcar conductors to counter wartime shortages of men.

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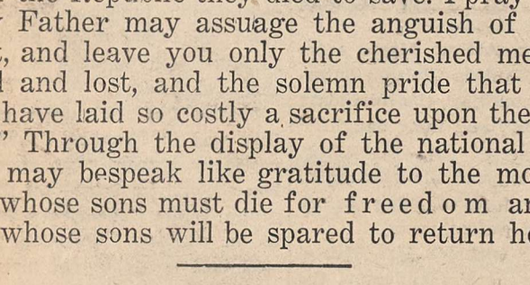

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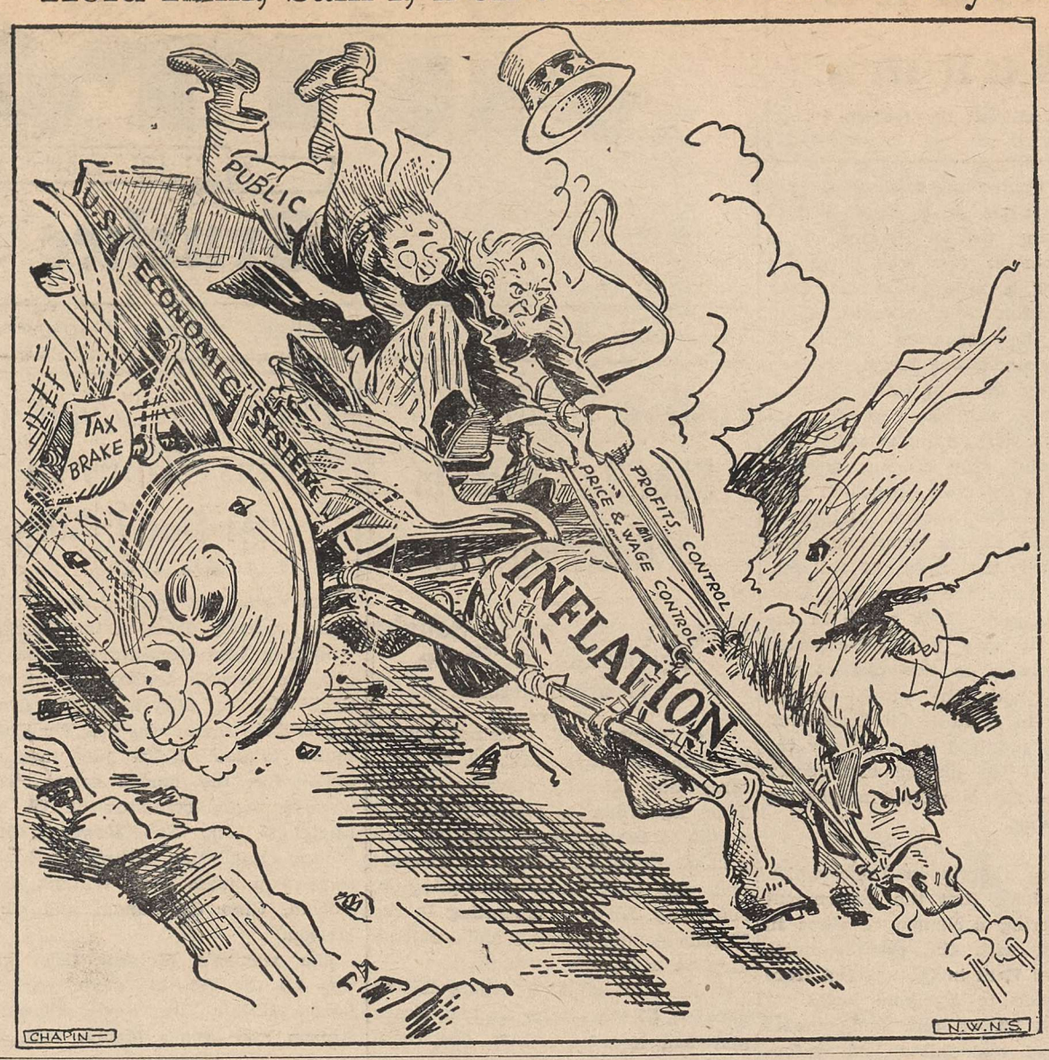

MY PLACE IN THE SUN

by DOUG BARKETT

There is nothing like a Selective Service sign-up to prove that it takes all kinds. You should have been in the Sierra Sun office last week-end and this week beginning. It was really an interesting place to be.... Anton Mahne, cook and part-owner of the California, and Walt Barrett, ye editor and chief registrar, got to talking about the last war. "Cookie" was in the Austrian army throughout the set-to on the Russian and Italian fronts while my boss was in the Yankee forces on the Western front —where, incidentally, it wasn't all quiet....Charlie Bandur was telling me that in 1917 he was registered in the old fire house next to the jail. This time he registered in the paper office. Both times, Charlie White registered him....incidentally, Bandur's name isn't Charles; just ask to have a look at his registration card....Another little "believe-it-or-noddity" garnered was the fact that Rev. G. J. E. Keetch's post office box is 666 while the mark of the beast as given in Revelations 13:18 is "Six hundred, three-score and six"—or 666.

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In the Auburn Journal last week it was stated that the Tahoe Naval Ensign will be the first year-round news paper to be published at Tahoe. Now the Ensign may be a noble enterprise, but no such false claim can be made for it. In the first place, the Lake Tahoe News has been consolidated into the Sierra Sun and has been issued weekly for many years around the calends. When Cecil Edmunds was editor of the Truckee Repblican he issued the Brockway Reporter for more than a year. And then, to go into antiquity, the Tahoe Tattler of 1886 was a year round sheet. And, on on the other foot, sayin' the Ensign is a year round paper is an optimistic prognostication rather than a fact accomplished by sweat, grit and tears.

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It has been a long time since I have passed out any word of congratulation on thisa and thata to any one, so right now I salute Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. "Trapper" Heller of Meeks Bay upon their wedding anniversary....and Mrs. Isabel Nobles of Gateway Park on her birthday... and Phyl and Bill Marts, also of Gateway, on their birthdays....and to Pernanne Kielhofer and George Edward Pace on theirs....All within the fortnight.

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STREET SEENS: Methinks that with these April snowers, the hi-way boys will earn their pay thrice over ...."Ace" Gregory reports that the B-19½ is glued together and all set for action...."Four-Star-Mother" Mrs. George Waters seeing Mrs. Roy Schmidt and family off on the bus for Oakland to join papa....The Tahoe-Sierra Assn. sign west of Truckee has "scenic" spelled "senic" —streamlined English it gives.... Verna Pearson, PT&T's new "hello" girl, arm-in-arming down the block with cousin Hilda Black from 'Bama ....Frances June "Pee-Wee" Polyanich looking veddy sleepy Sunday after going dancin' to Calpine on Sateve....Mrs. Jennie Watkins and son, Robert, en route to school.

ARE YOU A SUNSCRIBER?

Bricklayer No. 1

Winston Churchill at his favorite pastime—next to prime ministering—laying bricks. During a visit to an anti-aircraft battery, Churchill saw some soldiers busy building a brick wall. He took a hand. Premier Churchill holds a bricklayer's union card.

SIX INCH SERMON

REV. ROBERT H. HARPER

Sunday: The Day of Acclaim.

Lesson for May 3: Mark 11: 1-11; Luke 19: 41-44.

Golden Text: Mark 11: 9.

In beginning the study of the greatest week in all the ages of human history, we consider first the Triumphal Entry, or, as the lesson caption has it, The Day of Acclaim.

We find useful lessons in several things along the way of Christ's entry into Jerusaleum—the lowly preparation made for the King of kings in harmony with his voluntary humiliation, the obedience of the twc discilpes sent for the colt, the ready assent of the owners, and the answer the disciples made when questioned.

"The Lord hath need of him." Anything the Lord needs should be bladly given. If a sufficient number of Christians would now consecrate their all to Jesus, preparation would certainly be made for his triumphal entry into all the affairs of men.

It is sad to suspect that many who hailed Jesus with glad acclaim on Palm Sunday turned against him in the days that followed. Certain it is that, while a multitude went with him on the Day of Acclaim, there were few left him at the last.

On the way into the city, at a spot on the road from Bethany where the Holy City was first seen, Jesus paused and wept over it as with prophetic eye he saw Jerusaleum encirceld by mighty Roman armies under Titus.

The great thought of the lesson is that Jesus is King. May God strengthen every reader to be true under all circumstances—that their profession may be sincere. Whatever the difficulties that may beset them in following Jesus, no harm will come to the souls of those who give themselves in unquestioned loyalty to the King.

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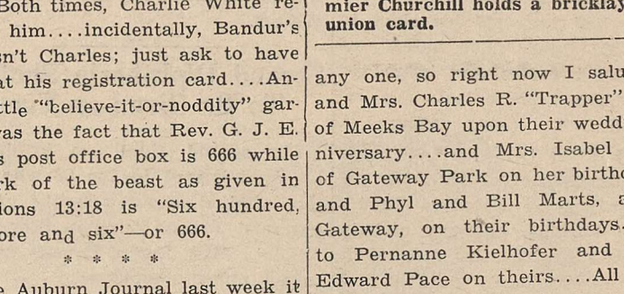
The three millionth cubic yard of concrete has been placed in Shasta Dam marking the half-way point in construction.



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G. E. HOFMANN, Sect.

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Meets Every Friday in Odd Fellows Hall.

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TAHOE SCHOOL NEWS

TAHOE CITY, April 28— Sound pictures were shown to the students of Tahoe Lake School and the Tahoe branch of Placer Union High School on Wednesday through the Audio-Visual Department of the Placer county schools. They included "People of Western China", "Rain on the Plains" and "Song of a Nation."

Students are practicing for their program on Thursday night which will be in salute to Public Schools week.

Sugar rationing books for householders will be given out at Tahoe Lake elementary school on May 4, 5, 6 and 7. Business houses registered at the high school Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Philip Gallinger motored to Reno on Saturday.

Mrs. Bliss Hinkle spent the weekend in the bay region.

A collection of water color illustrations of well-known books for children are on display at Tahoe City branch of Placer County Free Library this week. The paintings were done by junior high school students of Sacramento schools in classes under Mrs. Harry Johanson. Among the stories illustrated at "Hansel and Gretel," "The Wizard of Oz," "Bambi," "Snow White and the Seven Dwarf," and "Donald Duck."

Lake Tahoe News

by ANNE B. ANDERSON

FIRST AID CLASS AT TAHOE FINISHS AS ALL PASS COURSE

TAHOE CITY, April 30— Members of the class in first aid instructed by Mrs. A. M. Henry for the American Red Cross gave her a pleasant surprise party and gift in appreciation of her efforts following final tests held at her home.

The class included Mesdames Ben Callender, C. Warner, N. R. Mayfield, Otis Hursey, Glenn Sweeney, Jay Schumacher, Dyke Moore, Lee Garner, Leon Dockham, C. McCune and A. C. Stoddard. Other guests present were Mrs. E. W. Bliss, chairman of the Tahoe branch of the American Red Cross, and Mrs. A. C. Ables of Hilo, T. H.

Every member of this class passed with a very high average.

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ROCKLIN RUBBER MINE

Rocklin, California, is noted both for its rock quarries and the initiative of its civilian defense workers. With the Salvage for Victory program underway, some of the volunteer workers went to an abandoned rock quarry, now filled with water, and fished out 149 old tires.

Tahoe Area News Briefs

Burning permits have been necessary in this district since April 15, according to Ranger Charles Arment.

Miss Kathleen Starratt of Tahoe City left Sun Valley last week with Miss Elizabeth Woolsey, captain of the American Women's Olympic Ski Team, for the Jackson Hole country of Wyoming where they plan to spend several weeks for the spring skiing in the Tetons.

Word was received last week of the marriage of George Kehlet, owner of Meeks Bay resort, to Miss Pearl Chilson at Phoenix, Ariz., on April 15. The couple are spending their honeymoon at their new winter home at Palm Springs and plan to come to their Tahoe home early in May.

John D. Burns resigned his position as chief observer of the Volunteer Aircraft Warning Service last week and Constable Harry Johanson, organizer, appointed C. W. Vernon to take over the duties. At Meeks Bay station crews have also functioned steadily throughout the winter. Before their warming hut was ready, some times the temperatures fell to below zero but the watch went on just the same.

Home owners up for a weekend of winter sports included Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Specht of San Francisco with their son, Raymond, who were at Lake Chalets, Mrs. Paul St. Sure and her daughters, Ellen and Beth, and their friend, Carol Ann Ackerman; Victor Wikander and the F. Bradburys of Tahoe Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wehrman of Tahoe Tavern left last week for their annual spring vaction trip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Snyder, who wintered at thei rLodi home, have returned to open their Lake Forest business for the season.

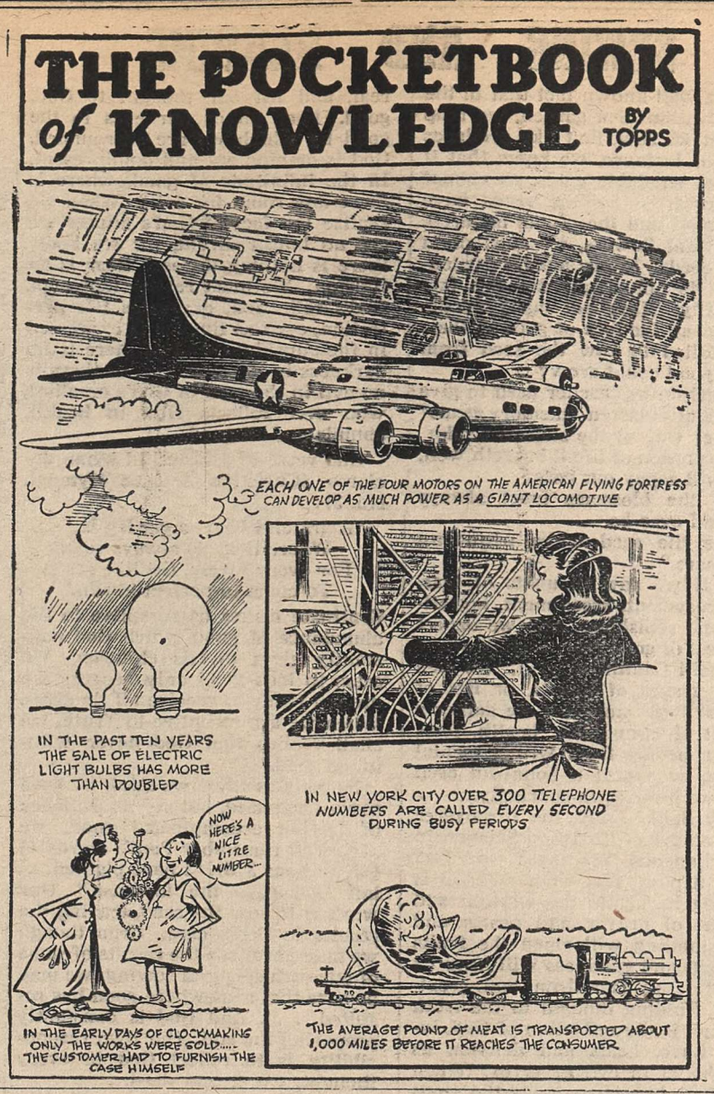
Harry Blanchard, former editor of the Tahoe Tatler, spent the weekend at the C. W. Vernon home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ganzhorn and their daughter, Kay, returned to Tahoe last week after sspending the winter in Reno and plan to open the Kings Lodge Coffe Shop around May 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Carnell motored to Sacramento for the weekend.

Mrs Charles Arment of Tahoe Park is employed in the local telephone office.

Mrs. Lillian Nease left for San Francisco last week where she will attend a business college.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Mrs. Bliss Is Selected As Explosives License Agent At Lake by U. S. Bureau

TAHOE CITY, April 30— Evelyn W. Bliss, of Tahoe, has been designated Federal Explosives Licensing Agent, for the Tahoe district by the Bureau of Mines in Washington, with power to issue vendor's, purchaser's and foreman's licenses under terms of the Federal Explosives Act and Rules and Regulations that are now in effect or may be issued.

Applications for licenses must be made on Bureau of Mines forms, which may be secured from Mrs. Bliss.

Any person violating any of the provisions of the Act or any rules or regulations made thereunder, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine of not more than $5,000 or by imprisonment for not more than a year, or both such fine and imprisonment.

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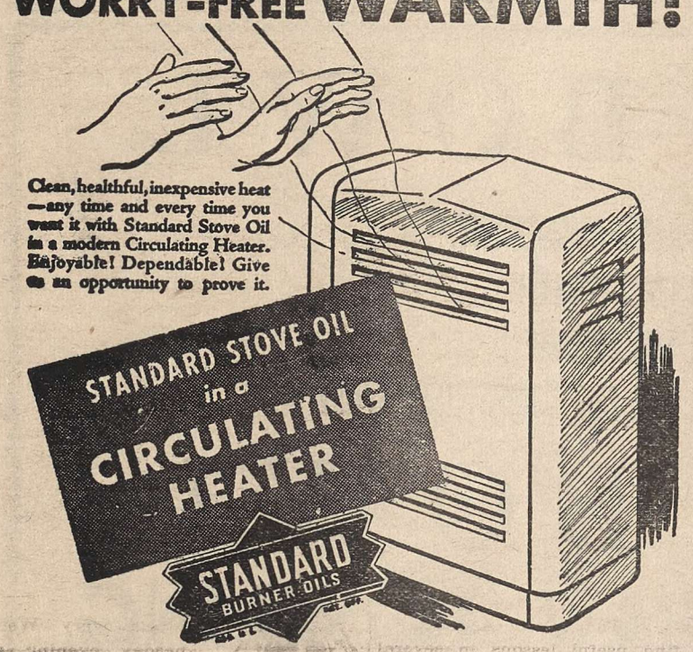
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Capt. and Mrs. D. M. Brodehl spent the weekend at Lodi where they visited their son Ewald, and family; in Sacramento, where they guests at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jones, and in Berkeley, where they visited their daughters, Mrs. Robert Pomin and Miss Beccy Brodehl.

Miss Ruth Moore of Tahoe is employed in Ginsburg's Jewelry store in Reno.

State Highway Patrolman Grover Todd of Colfax arrived at Tahoe City last week with Mrs. Todd and their son, and are occupying one of the Lake Chalets cabins. He will be stationed at Tahoe all year round.

The biennial election of trustee for Tahoe City Public Utility District will be held at Tahoe Community Center on May 5 from one to seven p.m. Election officers will be Mrs. John D. Burns, inspector, Mrs. C. W. Vernon, judge, and Mrs. Cecil Moore, clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Huston, Jr., of Tahoe Park returned Sunday from a short vacation trip to Sacramento and Porterville.

Residents of the Tahoe City area met at Tahoe Community Center on Friday night to discuss the proposed additions to the fire equipment. N. R. Mayfield was chairman of the meeting. Ranger Charles Arment gave advice on different points discussed and the following were suggested as fire commissioners to take steps necessary in the project: Mrs. A. M. Henry, John D. Burns and Carl Bechdolt, Jr.

Mrs. Paul Crandall and son, Kenneth, who spent the winter in Napa, have returned to their Crandall's Vacation Store in Tahoe Park.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Valentine, who spent the winter in nHollywood, arrived at their Tahoe home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bell of Oakland have rented the E. H. Pomin home on Lake Street for the season.

Howard Johnston of Pine Crest assisted Mrs. E. W. Bliss in the registration for selective service on Sunday.

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Ready for action at a moment's notice are the Placer County Rangers. Deputized by Sheriff Charles Silva and under his jurisdiction, the Rangers number 580 strong. All the men are armed. They are receiving training as auxiliary police and have regular target practice.

Meeks Bay News

by VERA FRAZIER

MEEKS BAY, April 30—The H&W Club held the last weekly meeting of the season Monday evening. After this the meetings will be held on the second and last Monday of each month at 8 p.m. The next meeting will be May 11.

The last meeting began with a bounteous pot-luck supper, followed by a most interesting business session, which included the initiation of two new members, Mr. and Mrs Glenn Sweeney of Tahoe City. The club is growing and hopes to enlarge the membership even further during the summer season.

Vera Frazier was appointed to take the place of Marian Stuart, who resigned as correspondent. The plans for the regular Parcel Post party to be given by the club were discussed but no date was set.

An interesting letter from David B. White, an absentee member, was read. He is now in the U. S. Navy, stationed in Seattle, Wash.

After the meeting, the War Stamp bingo game was playe, the stamps being won by Ray Frazier. This was followed by a few games of cards.

From that, we all went merrily on our way, out into the beautiful snow and wondering if, after all our calendars might be wrong.

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Politically Speaking

by JOHN W. DUNLAP

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

SACRAMENTO, April 30 —(U.P.)— Running for lieutenant governor is always a popular sport each four years and the growing list of candidates this year is no exception.

Latest to enter the list is Democratic State Senator J. C. Garrison of Modesto, a 12-year veteran of the upper house and one of Governor Olson's strongest supporters. He carried the ball for the chief executive on public ownership of utilities and revenue bonds, although the measures were stifled each time.

Without doubt, Garrison's legislative career and record has been one of complete honesty, sincerity of purpose and standing up for his convictions. He was almost a lone voice in many issues but he was fighting to the end. He is a farmer and feels that his long experience in that field is valuable to an important state official in these critical times.

Garrison's chief handicap is being relatively unknown over the state when in competition with names like Lieut. Gov. Ellis Patterson, Walter Scott Franklin, the Republican runner up four years ago, and James Rolph III, son the late governor. Having the backing of the Olson administration should be of help to Garrison but Patterson must still be rated the favorite to repeat.

Franklin tossed his hat in at the recent Santa Barbara Republican meeting. He came from total obscurity in 1938 to collect 1,139,967 votes only 150,000 behind Patterson's winning number.

It is no secret the Olsonites have been looking for a running mate to the governor but it was uncertain whether it would be Garrison, Secretary of State Paul Peek (before he announced for attorney general), Director of Motor Vehicles James Carter, or others in the official family. Only time will tell whether Garrison or somebody else—or anybody—gets the Olson nod.

Politics is a strange business and often plays queer tricks. The governor is currently benefitting from one of these quirks of the campaign the unexpected death of Fred E Stewart, veteran member of the state board of equalization and a strong figure in Republican ranks.

Generally speaking, Alameda county was rated one of the weak spots for the governor because Attorney General Earl Warren rose to prominence there. Stewart always dominated his field in the east bay area, as well as the Sacramento areass and the Sacramento valley, the extent of his district. Now the governor gets a lucrative appointment to fill the vacancy and the new incumbent will be running to succeed himself at the primary.

Obviously, the governor can be expected to choose a man who can be calculated to bring gubernatorial support. There are a lot of political appointments at the pleasure of the new appointee and it behooves interests controlled by the board to be at least nominally friendly to the incumbent members. So the combination is a happy one for Olson.

Candidates for the job almost swamped the captiol as Stewart's death hit the news wires. Among those strongly mentioned are Ivan Sperbeck, member of the state personnel board who crashed Olson's inner circle with an almost successful effort to defeat Republican Senator William Rich of Marysville, and State Fire Marshal Lydell Peck of Oakland.

There are four elective members on the board and State Controller Harry B. Riley is a fifth. All are Republicans except George Reilly of San Francisco. Chairman George Collins of Redding has spent 36 years on the board and is unbeatable but they will be out to give William Bonelli of Los Angeles a run for his money. Few persons realize the many hundred millions of dollars under control of the board each biennium through sales tax, liquor and transportation, all of which overshadow the board's original function to equalize taxes.

Succeeding administrations have seen the wisdom of consolidating some overlapping state functions and cutting expenses rather drastically. But politics usually interfere, and entrenched groups don't want to lose jobs and the reorganization falls by the wayside.

As a smart bit of psychology, the state finance department is toying with the ideas of compiling the acceptel form of bodget and then accompanying it with a companion showing a reorganized setup with correspsonding savings, and including detailed legislative bills drawn up to make the changes. The result would be rather startling—and a bit disconcerting to those parasites who regard public service as easy pickings and political patronage.

Dark horse for the future book: Assembly Speaker Gordon Garland may switch from governor to board of equalization.

SEWING AND REAPING

IT is a well-known fact that in the cultivation of a garden, we reap what we sow, that like produces like. For instance, we know that if we plant vegetable seeds, we cannot pick flowers after the seeds have germinated and the plants matured. If we want flowers, we must plant flower seeds. In our mental gardening we do not always see this fact so readily. Have not many people who bewail the lack of good in their lives, failed to sow the seed from which good could grow?

A much-loved teacher used to give the school children "memory gems" to learn. One of the stanzas reads:

"The garden of life it beareth well,
It will repay our care;
But the blossoms must always and ever be
Like the seed we're planting there."

. . . If we sow thoughts of fear, discouragement, resentment, ingratitude, and selfishness, can we expect a harvest of good from such sowing? Jesus said (Matthew 7:16), "Do men gather grapes of thorns, or figs of thistles?" No more can we gather a harvest of abundance, health, love, success, or joy from wrong mental sowing, or expect a bountiful crop when we have sown sparingly.

Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science, in "Miscellaneous Writings" (p. 331) makes it plain that when thought is "abiding in Truth, the warmth and sunlight of prayer and praise and understanding will ripen the fruits of Spirit, and goodness will have its springtide of freedom and greatness." Holding thought to the truth that man is the reflection of God, infinite Love, heals and delivers us from belief in evil or error. When we reflect Love by sowing the seeds of kindness, faith, patience, purity, and joy, we gather a rich harvest of good in sickness healed, discord vanquished, and sin and death overcome.

Does one need health, supply, harmony, and protection? Does the harvest of good seem scanty to eyes blinded by materiality? In reality the harvest of good is always abundant. Jesus said (John 4:35), "Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest." Let us stop looking at error as real, and lift our thought to God, good. Fear blinds our eyes to the good by which we are surrounded. God is omnipotent and omnipresent. In the infinitude of good, where is there any room for evil? When we realize the fact of God's allness we are no longer afraid, for we know there is nothing to fear. Fear is an illusion. We must realize that man, God's reflection, expresses His perfection, even as the sun is expressed in the sunshine. And as there is no darkness in the sunshine, so there is no evil in the man of God's creating, who ever reflects Him in health, abundance, all good.

One verse of a beautiful hymn declares (Christian Science Hymnal, No. 3):

"A grateful heart a garden is,
Where there is always room
For every lovely, Godlike grace
To come to perfect bloom."

Gratitude makes us receptive to the abundance of good which God constantly gives to His children. We seem to lack good only because we are not ready to receive all He gives. When we are receptive to Truth, we shall realize that God never withholds good.

Sometimes when we think we have sown good seed, but see no evidence of having accomplished good, we may well remember Paul's words (I Corinthians 3:6), "I have planted,... but God gave the increase." Our work is to sow the seed, leaving the results to God's care. Even though we may never see the results of some of our own spiritual sowing, we may be sure that somewhere good has resulted. . . . And God is constantly preparing the soil. Our own responsibility is to reflect God in every thought, word, and deed. . . .

Let us not be too concerned over the reaping. Our sowing prepares for that. Sometimes our human plans would limit us. Jesus declared (Matthew 13:39), "The reapers are the angels." . . . Knowing that angels do the reaping and that God, good, is infinite, can we not leave the results of our sowing of good seed, and the thought of how soon or how great the harvest shall be, in our heavenly Father's hands?—*The Christian Science Monitor.*

Railroad Commission Issues Anti-Hobo Rule To Prevent Sabotage

The California Railroad Commission last week sounded the death knell to "hobo" transportation in this state.

Acting to halt increasing sabotage of bridges and other properties of railways, the commission asked law enforcement agencies and rail managements to cooperate in barring all trespassers from trains and rights-of-way.

A letter issued to these agencies by Justus F. Craemer, president of the commission, attributed several of the recent acts of railway incendiary sabotage in Southern California to enemies who, in the guise of hoboes had trespassed upon rail property and equipment.

The letter continues, i part: "Under present employment conditions, it is obvious that any trespasser riding on a train, walking on rights-of-way, or unlawfully occupying rail property elsewhere, should be viewed with extreme suspicion.

"The present war emergency necessitates extreme vigilance on the part of law-enforcement agencies of every city and county of the state to prevent such dastardly acts of sabotage. It is imperative that those individuals who are found guilty of these wanton acts of destruction are prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law

"The railroads play a vital part in our war effort. Much of their present cargo is for military purposes and we cannot afford to assume an attitude of indifference weher there is so much at stake.

"May we again urge upon you the necessity of doing everything within your power to prevent these destructive acts. Please lend your utmost aid in removing all remaining trespassers of this character from rail property.

"The California Railroad Commission and its staff of safety engineers stand ready to join you in this important work."

ROMANTIC TEAM IS FEATURED IN SHOW AT LOCAL THEATER

The new romantic screen combination of Charles Boyer and Margaret Sllavan, initally co-starred by Universal in "Back Street," is perpetuated by the same studio in "Appointment for Love," which comes to the Donner Theater next Wednesday.

The reunion is in direct desponse to the successful appearance of the talented pair in their first vehicle. Unlike it, however, "Apointment for Love" is a streamlined comedy-romance played against a gay and modern Broadway background. Boyer portrays a successful playwright while Miss Sullavan enacts the role of a chic careerist.

The theme of the play exploits the extraordinary talents of Boyer and Miss Sullavan in farce-tinged drama, while amplifying the able fun-cast are Rita Johnson, Eugene Pallette, Ruth Terry, Reginald Denny, J. M. Kerrigan, Cecil Kellaway and Roman Bohnen in featured roles. Able direction is given the play by veteran William A. Seiter, while Bruce Manning is the producer.

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CAPTAINS OF THE CLOUDS

James Cagney and Dennis Moore are co-starred in "Captains of the Clouds" showing Sunday at the Donner Theater. The story deals with lives of the pilots of the Royal Canadian Air Force in the war front and is rated as one of the year's top pictures by critics.

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He-Men Don Sarongs in Film at Donner Saturd'y

The sarong probably has taken more ribbing, kick around and general abuse than anything ever connected with Hollywood, but it now comes in for an even worse beating.

Brian Donlevy, Brod Crawford and Andy Devine appear in a special sarong satire in Universal's "South of Tahiti," coming Saturday night to the Donner Theater, and the tropical girdle gets "the complete works."

Maria Montez takes the romantic lead in the action-romance of the jungle.

The story is centered about three happy-go-lucky pearl fishermen who find refuge on a jungle isle paradise

George Waggner was the associate producer and director.

Women in Defense

WOMEN "DARN GOOD"

Manned by volunteer civilians, directed by the State Council of Defense and under the control of the Fourth Interceptor Command, is the Ground Obesrvation Corps. William J. Farrell of San Francisco, who heads the Ground CObesrvation Corps for the State Council, reports that between 25,000 and 30,000 women are on duty in this vital work. "Women make darn good plane 'spotters' too!" he stated. During the day, the 1,546 observer posts in California are taken over almost entirely by women.

WOMAN'S WORK

Even before Pearl Harbor, women's organizations of the state were lining up for defense on the Home Front. Among the many projects, recommended at a meeting of representatives of 19 leading state-wide women's organizations in Los Angeles last summer, was the Emergency Shelf. The idea spread like wild-fire, and now extra bedding and clothes, tinned goods, dried fruits, and medical supplies are on many an "emergency shelf," especially in the rural districts of the San Joaquin and Sacramento valleys. They'll come in handy in case of disaster or evacuation.

SLACKS FOR DURATION

Determined that the silk stocking problem will no longer plague them, slacks are becoming the uniform for the duration of many women office workers employed by the state in Sacramento. State departments granting their women employes permission to wear "pants" are the Departments of Motor Vehicles, Institutions and Employment. More are expected to follow.

FIRST CIVILIAN DEFENSE

The cavemen, who built a fire in front of his crude home to keep the beasts of the forest away, practiced the first civilian defense, Mrs. Hazel Schnabel of Sacramento, administrative aide for the State Council of Defense, told a group of defense workers and clubwomen in a talk at Angel's Camp this week. Women from Tuolumne and Calaveras Counties were present at the session.

CLUBS AND DEFENSE

A report to the State Council of Defense from the California Federation of Women's Clubs reevals that 51,927 members have officially registered for defense work, and the organization reports the purchase of $1,020,000 in Defense Bonds. During the Victory Book drive, the clubwomen collected a book and one-half for every service man enrolled in the state.

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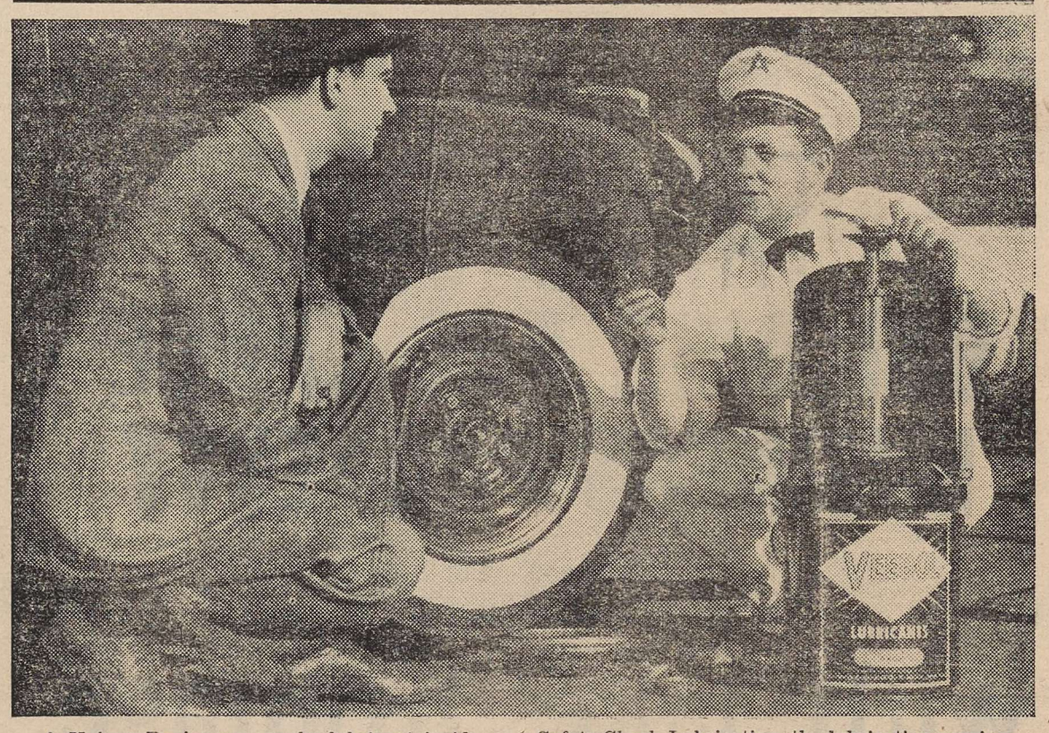

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TAHOE-SIERRA AREA COUNTIES CONTAIN MUCH PUBLIC LAND

Of California's total land area comprising 100,353,920 acres, slightly more than 50 per cent is found in private ownership, and the balance of 49.72 per cent is publicly owned In Nevada county which comprises 626,560 acres 65.57 per cent or 410,847 acres, are in private ownership, and 34. 43 per cent, or 215,713 acres are publicly owned. Of Placer county's 915,840 acres, 625,859 acres or 68.34 per cent, are in private ownership and 31.66 per cent or 289,981 acres are publicly owned. In El Dorado county, which has 1,104,000 acres 50.98 per cent or 562,780 acres, are i private ownershop and 49.02 per cent or 541,220 acres are publicly owned.

The distribution of land ownership in the state is revealed in a study—intended to throw light on the problem of tax-exempt federal and other public land—just completed by the research department of the California State Chamber of Commerce

Farm areas of California total 30,524,324 acers and other privately owned lands aggregate 19,932,022 acres. In Nevada county there are 114,108 acres in farm land; in Placer there are 214,784 acres, in El Dorado there are 256,504 acres. Other privately owned land amounts to 296,739 acres in Nevada county, 411,075 acres in Placer and 306,276 in El Dorado.

Of a total of 49,987,574 acres publicly owned, 23,822,359 are found in national forests, parks and monuments, and the balance of 26,075,215 are classifeid as other public land.

This classification includes federal lands and reservations, state school lands, tax deeded lands, parks, city and county owned properties, and estimates of lands in roads and streets. Publicly owned land in Nevada county, comprises 140,139 acres in national forests, parks and monuments and 75,574 acres in other public land. Publicly owned land in Placer county comprises 218,243 acres in national forests, parks and monuments and 71,738 acres of other public land. There are 438,957 acres of El Dorado county in national forests, parks and monuments, and 102,255 acres of other public land.

In seventeen counties more than 50 per cent of the land area is publicly owned. These range from 95.8 per cent publicly owned in Inyo County to 51.2 per cent in Lake County, and include Alpine, Del Norte, Lassen, Mariposa, Modoc, San Bernardino, Mono, Plumas, Riverside, Sierra Siskiyou, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne and Ventura. In 11 of these counties over two-thirds of the land is publicly owned. In these counties relatively small acreages of privately owned land and improvements provide the tax support of local functions of government for the entire county.

SUNNY SIDE UP

A woman in Iceland recently sent an urgent message to the Chicago Chamber of Commerce asking for, among other things, an ice cream freezer. It seems she is seriously concerned about the fact that Iceland ha no ice cream parlor and is determined to do something about it.

NOTICE OF ELECTION
For Members of the Governing Board of the Meadow Lake Union High School District

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the electors of the Truckee Precincts, Meadow Lake Union High School District of Nevada County, California, that the Annual Election of members of the Board of Trustees of the Meadow Lake Union High School District will be held on the third Friday of May, viz, May 15, 1942.

It will be necessarty to elect two members.

The polling place for said electors of the Truckee Precincts, Meadow Lake Union High School District will be at the Truckee Elementary School in the Truckee Elementary School District.

The polls will be open between the hours of Two o'clock P. M. and Six o'clock P. M.

The officers appointed to conduct the election in the above-named precincts are:

Mrs. Cora Maxsom, Inspector.
Mrs. Winifred McGwinn, Judge.
Mrs. Crystal Nelson, Judge.

A description of the boundaries of these precincts is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

(Signed) LOTTA BRYANT, Clerk.
April 13, 1942 A23-30M7

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For Member of the Governing Board of the Truckee Elementary School District

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The polling place for said electors of the Truckee Precincts, Truckee Elementary School District will be at the Truckee Elementary School in the Truckee Elementary School District.

The polls will be open between the hours of Two o'clock P. M. and Six o'clock P. M.

The officers appointed to conduct the election in the above-named precincts are:

Mrs. Cora Maxsom, Inspector.
Mrs. Winifred McGwinn, Judge.
Mrs. Crystal Nelson, Judge.

A description of the boundaries of these precincts is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

(Signed) MRS. Dan D. Smith, Sect'y
April 13, 1942 A23-30M7

Paratroops Boast First Jumping Chaplain

—INFANTRY SCHOOL PHOTO

CHAPLAIN RAYMOND S. HALL

Parachute troops at the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia, boast of a literal "sky pilot." He is Chaplain Raymond S. Hall, former rector of St. John's Protestant Episcopal church, Lowell, Mass., and the Army's first jumping chaplain.

Chaplain Hall is a quiet, husky young man inclined to regard his present assignment as the happy working of fate. When he was first assigned to Benning, there was no regulation requiring chaplains to jump. Chaplain Hall soon fixed that. After a week of talking to the men he applied for permission to take the gruelling five-week training course. He found it rough going. It had been more than ten years since Chaplain Hall was captain of Brown University swimming team and a member of the All-American swimmers, and life in the rectory had not prepared him for the enthusiastic body-bending a parachutist must perform in training.

Today, as a qualified parachutist, he looks forward to each jump with zest. He also speaks with modest satisfaction of the men's reaction to his jumping. "It increased attendance at church," he says.

KINGS BEACH

by MADELINE GALLERANI

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker visited with friends over the week-end. They aren ow residing in Doyle, Calif., where Baker is employed.

Mrs. John J. Heffernan was very ill with a throat ailment the past week.

Mrs. Walter Mnadeville, formerly of Kings Beach, is now living in Reno with her infant son. Mandeville is employed in Lunning, Nev.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Comstock arrived from Pasadena where they spent the winter.

Pvt. John Rondelli of Crystal Bay is stationed at Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Samuels of Hayward were recent viitors at the Andy Sorenson home.

Nels Rafdal is adding a new wing to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Questa and their young son, Gene, of Sacramento, spent the weekend vistiing with Mrs. Questa's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph V. Riolo.

Mrs. Carl Sorenson spent a few days in Lodi, Calif.

The Mother's Club meeting was held at the school house with 12 members attending. A camp cot was purchased for use in the school. The members agreed to purchase First Aid supplies that are needed at school. It was unanimously agreed by all the members to send a present to Mrs. Ivan Astle, a member who is seriously ill in a Reno hospital. All members are urged to attend the next meeting at which an election of officers will be held.

Mrs. Joseph Riola's birthday on April 15 was the incentive for a surprise party given her by a group of friends. Cakes, cookies and refreshments were brought which were enjoyed by everyone. Dancing was the diversion of the evening.

Mrs. Fred Powers is just recovering from a bad cold which kept her in bed for over a week.

James Kirby returned here after spending the winter in Oakland.

WOMAN OF THE WEEK

The Order of the Red Banner, a very important decoration, has been awarded Mme. Alexandra Kollontai, the present Russian ambassador to Sweden and the first woman in the world ever to hold the rank of full ambassador. In 1917 she was Soviet Russia's first minister of of public welfare. Later he ewas named minister to Norawy and then ambassador to Mexico. She has been minister to Sweden since 1930.

1037 FORMER BANK OF AMERICA MEN IN ARMED FORCES

In a ceremony before hundreds of staff members of the Bank of America in San Francisco, a service flag was unfurled representing 1037 young men of the bank who have responded to the call to military and naval service. Of this total, seven had been employed at one time or another in the Truckee branch of the bank. They were Frank Werry, Vernon Nelson, Bob Simon, Paul Porter, Peter Baldo, Robert Boone, Marion Follett and Gordon Scott.

In the absence of A. P. Giannini founder of the bank, the ceremony was conducted by W. E. Blauer, vice chairman of the board of directors.

"It is with great pride I am privileged to unfurl this flag," Blauer said in part. "We gratefully honor our own brave battalion of more than a thousand men. At the same time, those of us left behind have the satisfaction of knowing that we, too, have a big job to do in financing the war effort here in California."

He described the institution as "an arm of service behind the men behind the guns which already has financed several billion dollars worth of war contracts, which has helped to provide ships, planes, guns and countless other implements of victory, and which is continuing that work in ever increasing volume."

"All of us," he concluded, "can regard this flag as our regimental banner, signifying our complete unity in the tasks which must be done to achieve ultimate victory for America and for everything for which our nation stands."

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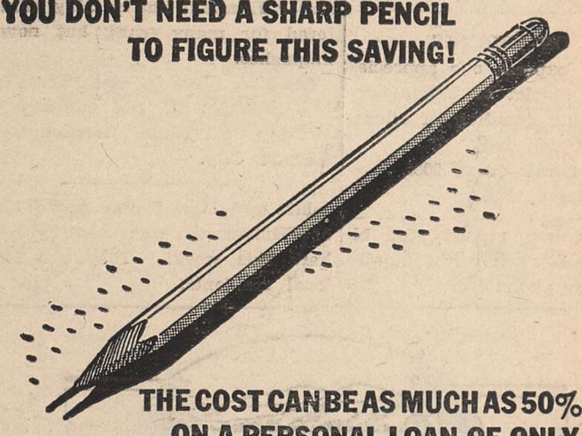

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Out-of-Town Visitors—

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Nesbit of Vallejo and R. J. Files of Dixon spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Parker.

To Coast—

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Langille planned to leave today for Eureka where they will visit their son, Robert Leamon, who is in the Navy.

NOTICE TO BEVERAGE AND ICE RETAILERS

In compliance with governmental requests, we are altering our delivery somwhat and in the future, after May 4, 1942, will make only two deliveries to retailers daily. The first delivery will be made at 10 a.m. and the second at 4 p.m.

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Seeks Assessor's Post

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in Nevada City. After 18 years he sold this business and for 12 years was postmaster in the county seat. It was in this office that he gained a wide circle of friends. His never failing courtesy, his integrity and his constant anxiety to give the public the best service possible, not only won him the commendation of all patrons of the post office, but bound the post office staff to him in affection and loyalty. No one will work harder for the election of Scadden to the office of assessor than his former associates in the post office.

During his years as deputy assessor, Scadden has made many new friends throughout the county who have received the news of his candidacy with thorough going approval. These friends in every walk of life believe that he is a man, well qualified by training and natural ability to take over the office, which Assessor Hammill has so ably administered for many years, but now relinquishes.

Scadden plan to visit Truckee in the interests of his candidacy on Monday with Elmer Breckenridge of Nevada City.

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Mr. and Mrs. James A. Woodward of Winnemucca were visiting friends here this week. They are former local residents.

Candidate for Sheriff

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the ladder of lumber business operation, office-boy Hoskins quickly graduated through the various departments. Now, 14 years after first association with the company, he holds the important position of auditor and accountant.

In reviewing Hoskins ambition to the office of Sheriff, his platform virtually encompasses this—a devotion to his home county, strengthened with the passing of each year, and a desire to see its important office of law enforcement conducted in a manner parallel to that of a smoothly managed business; a desire to see the dollar of every tax payer given every advantage of economical spending and bigger purchase power; a desire to gain the vote of the electorate without the backing or organized effort of any specific group.

The candidate requested that it be also announced that, contrary to frequent rumor, he has made no selection of deputies nor has he early intention of making such selection.

The idea of becoming a candidate for the office of Sheriff is by no means new to Hoskins. Over two years ago, without declaring his motive, he began an intensive study of criminology and crime detection in all its branches. Much of this study has been devoted to the tactics of the celebrated FBI. While in agreement that "book learning" of law enforcement and the performance of actual duties may be rather widely separated, the candidate believes the two years of study will provide a valuable background in the event of his election. Considerable insight into law enforcement from a practical standpoint was gained during his administration as fire chief of Grass Valley.

Perhaps no resident of the county is better known to its populace than is Dick Hoskins. The attention he gained in school as an athlete in baseball basketball and football continued in years to follow, with particular reference to his association with various baseball clubs. For several seasons he managed and played with the Grass Valley Miners baseball team and still holds the record as ace first baseman in the Sacramento Valley League. Hoskins is married, has three children and owns his home in Grass Valley.

If elected the candidate promises the people of his county a tireless, conscienteous, 24-hour daily duty, with strict adherence to holding up the letter and spirit of the law.

Hoskins was in Truckee Monday, accompanied by former Sheriff George Carter.

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No New Fishing Tackle To Be Made After May

The manufacture of fishing tackle after May 31 has been prohibited by the War Production Board.

No restrictions were placed on the sale of tackle already on hand and to be produced until May 31 but the WPB directed that manufacturers continue production until the shutdown date at a restricted rate using only stocks on hand or on order prior to today.

The production stoppage is to be effected by denying the use of metals, plastics and cork. Officials said large stocks of equipment are on hand, probably as much as a year's supply.

The production of fish hooks may be continued at a rate equal to one half last year's. George Moore, chief of the WPB sporting goods unit, explained "we wanted to take care of the fellow who goes out to catch himself a mess of fish every once in a while."

A total of 171 firms are affected by the tackle order, with some manufacturers already partly occupied in war work. About 15 per cent of the industry as a wohle has been converted.

Sugar Registration Hours Announced by P.R. Nelson

P. R. Nelson, principal of the grammar school announces that registration for sugar rationing will be held between the hours of 2 and 6 p.m., Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, May 4, 5, 6, and 7 at the grammar school. This registration period is for household users. Stores, restaurants, etc., were registered at the high school Tuesday and Wednesday this week.

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Up from Carson City—

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Maxsom and daughter, Judith Ann, of Carson City visited relatives here over the weekend.

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Tahoe Youth Wins State Wildlife Slogan Contest

TAHOE CITY, April 15— Fifteen-year-old Jimmy Swanson won a $25 War Bond offered by Sportsman's Post No. 99 of the American Legion for the California student from 12 to 16 years in a slogan contest on conservation of wildlife. Jimmy's slogan was "Wildlife conservation assures wildlife preservation."

Over 400 entries were received from students in 37 counties in the contest which marks National Wildlife Restoration Week.

Jimmy is the youngest member of the Lake Tahoe Gun Club and an ardent hunter and sportsman.

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SON IS BORN

An eight-pound son, Dennis Edward, was born last evening to Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Morris of Dunsmuir. The mother is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. G. J. E. Keetch of Truckee.

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Work Review Reports are Given at Red Cross Meet

A special meeting of the Truckee branch of the Nevada City chapter of the American Red Cross was held Tuesday evening in the grammar school auditorium. Reports from various committees were received and plans for future work were discussed.

Chairman Rev. G. J. E. Keetch's complete report on the year's work will be published in next week's edition of the Sierra Sun.

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W. P. A. Work in County In Six Years Reviewed

Summarizing six years of accomplishments by WPA workers of Nevada county, William R. Lawson, administrator in Northern California for the Work Projects Administration, this week made public an impressive list of achievements which have grown out of the Federal relief policy of utilizing the labor of the unemployed in useful public works Lawson said that much of the work accomplished in the six year period since the inception of WPA, has proved to have a military as well as civil value.

Recognized as being in this dual category, he said, are the 139.5 miles of roads and streets constructed or improved by the WPA within the county, together with the 14 new or reconstructed bridges completed during the half dozen years.

Lawson's summary also showed the WPA workers have erected, rehabilitated or improved 30 public buildings within the county. Among other outstanding accomplishments, he included the 3,000,000 gallon reservoir near Grass Valley, four miles of fire trails and several check and conservation dams. A total of 53,000 acre of irrigation lands were improved by reconstruction of ditches.

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CALIFORNIA SUGAR YIELD

California's 10 sugar beet refineries are expected to produce 435,000 tons of sugar from this year's crop.

High School News

by ELIZABETH GATES

SENIORS: The seniors have started work on their annual.

JUNIORS: Jim Leamon, stage manager, and Harry Digesti, assistant stage manager, are working on the set for the play "Fly Away Home" to be given May 15.

GENERAL: Miss Munro has chosen the staff of this year's Chipmunk. Those on it are Laura Angelini, editor, Phyllis Marts, business manager and James Leamon, Elizabeth Gates, Leta Tennis, Clarabell Lewis, Harry Digesti, Azad Joseph George Keetch, George Kamp and McIntyre Gates.

At the Hi-Y student conference to be held in the Grammar School on Saturday, MLUHS will have charge of the panel discussions on "Propaganda." The following have been chosen to lead the discussion: Clarabell Lewis, chairman, Harry Digesti, Elizabeth Gates, George Keetch, Lera Tennis, Renee Hart and Fraces Polyanich

TAHOE ITEMS

Mrs. John Stevens of San Francisco spent a few days at Tahoe this week packing her furniture and belongings left here to ship to her home in the city.

Sgt. and Mrs. Joe Pomin left Monday after a pleasant vacation at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pomin of Idlewild.

Paul Crandall of Tahoe Park returned to his vacation store after spending the winter in Napa.

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Mrs. Lizzie Twaddle and Miss Fannie Ridler of Carson City visited their sister, Mrs. C. E. Smith, during the past week.

Political Announcements

Primary Election August 25, 1942

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Candidate For
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Candidate For
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